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Subject: Reports in connection with the murder case at Issur, Shikarpur Tq

Telephone message received at 9.15 P.M.
on 28th September 1942.

From

The District Superintendent of Police,
S H I M O G A.

To

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
B A N G A L O R E.

CAMP. (Mysore) and the Chief Office.

I beg to state that a report is just received at 6-30 P.M. from Taluk Sheristedar, Shikaripur, that the Amildar, Police Inspector and Sub-Inspector with Duffedar and a few Police Constables left for Issur Village at 10.30 A.M. to-day i.e., 28th September 194[illegible] and at 4 P.M. he learnt that all of them suffered fatal death at the hands of the villagers.

I have sent Provincial Reserve Police men with local police and reported the matter to Deputy Commissioner Camp Bhadravati.

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The Law Minister B'lore, Finance & Revenue Minister B'lore,
FROM Chief Secretary B'lore Inspector Gen. Police In Mysore.

Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number

F-19 Deputy Commissioner Shimoga District
Rao Bahadur Bhadravati

I received information this just now
in Bhadravati camp this afternoon
that Shikarpur Amildar police inspector
and have been beaten to death by
the people of ESSUR village in
Shikarpur Taluk & proceeding
to the spot with necessary police
military force and medical assistance
in an ambulance van & this
village is about 5 miles from
Anjanapur.

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FROM Chief Secretary Bldg, Dept of Provost Gen. Police Dept Manila

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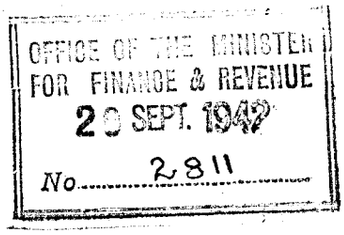

Submitted.

Telephone message received this morning at 8.40 from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, Camp Shikaripur to the Minister for Finance and Revenue, Bangalore.

" Further to my wireless - message from Bhadravathi this evening regarding severe disturbances in Essur Village, I rushed to Shikaripur with Reserve Police and Military force in Ambulance Van and made enquiries. All the people of Essur Village moved - brutally. The Shikaripur Amildar, Police Inspector, Sub Inspector, Duffedar and two Constables in the Village this noon i.e., 28-9-1942 and beat them severely with lathies etc. The Amildar and the Sub Inspector were killed at the spot. The others have been tied, tortured and were rescued with difficulty in the evening by the neighbouring Village people. Clothes, cycles, rings, revolver etc., have been ~~smashed~~ snatched from them. The two dead bodies and the five injured were brought to Shikaripur in the night at 10 P.M. One Police Constable is missing. The - injured are being attended to by the District Medical Officer and are out of

under rioting, murder, hurt and decoity. Post Mortem are arranged to be held in the morning. It is 11.30 P.M., now. Relatives informed. Proceeding early morning with adequate force to the Village for securing accused and recovering properties. The incident is the outcome of the present political movement."

Submitted.
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FINANCE D RSV. MINISTER B'LORE AGP TO MYSORE B'LORE
CHIEF SECRETARY GOVT B'LORE

FROM DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SHIMOGA DIST. CAMP SHIKARPUR	Originator's Number.	Date 29	In Reply to Number

Your Express Letter to my message
Shimoga dated from
Regarding the Collection SHIKARPUR
the Contribution to RSDR VILLAGE
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TO LAW MINISTER BLR
FINANCE & REV MINISTER B'LRE
CHIEF SECRETARY GOVT B'LRE
IGP MYSORE B'LORE

FRCM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SHIMOGA DIST. CAMP SHIKARPUR		29/9	

Text begins further to my message of yesterday night from SHIKARPUR regarding the disturbance at ESSUR VILLAGE we completed the inquest and the Post mortem examination of the dead bodies of the Ambulance and the Police Sub-Inspector this morning. The morning constable came to yesterday night at about a Head after he was treated there stop all the six injured persons are now out of Danger and are treated Specially and being taken to the SHIMOGA HOSPITAL for treatment in the Ambulance Van stop yesterday night and this morning the Roads to SHIKARPUR from SHIMOGA side about five miles from here was completely damaged by the Villagers trees probably the Road ESSUR people stop MR BABUREDDY our Revenue Inspector was [illegible] investigation and proceeding with the Case now going on

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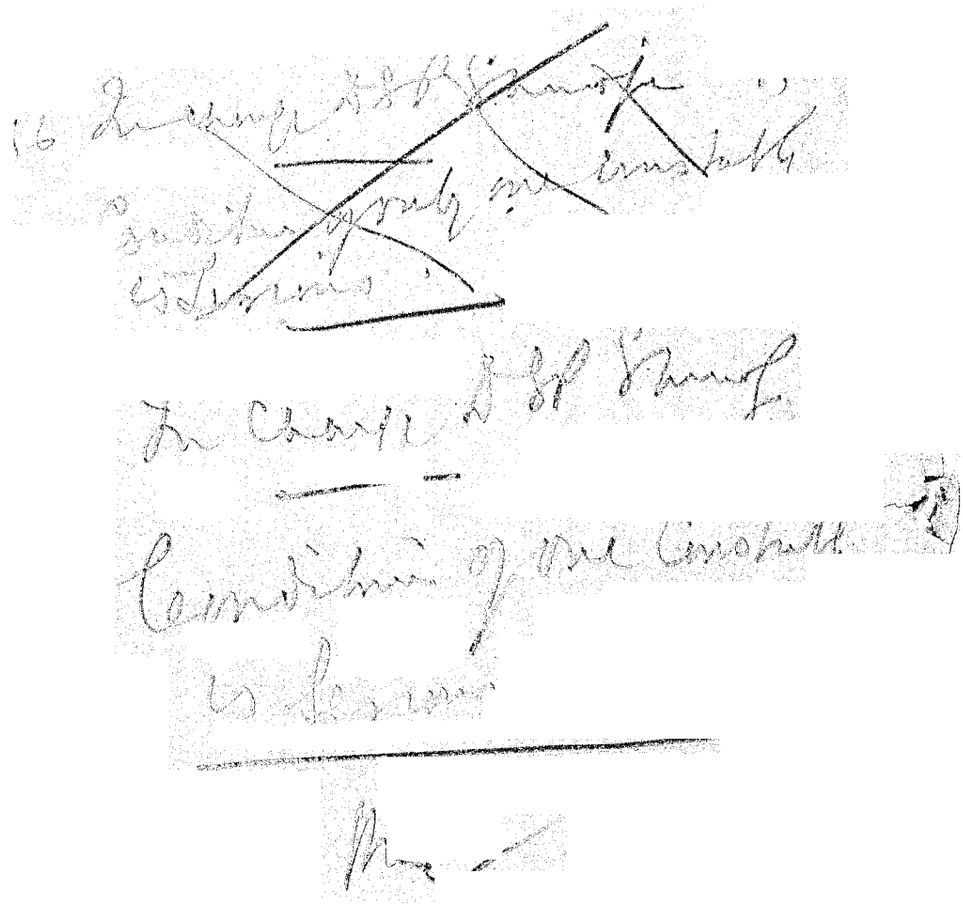

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29th Septr.. 2

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my conversation with you this morning. I send herewith a copy of the Press Note issued by the Government.

Yours sincerely,

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W. le B. gerton, Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident
in Mysore, Bangalore

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TO (1) [illegible] BLORE (2) CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT (3) FINANCE REVENUE [illegible] (4) I.G. OF POLICE BANGALORE

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SHIMOGA DIST CAMP [illegible]		30	

Further to my message of yesterday from Shikarpur [illegible] the E [illegible] and the surrounding [illegible] afternoon and upon the [illegible] had made [illegible] The [illegible] is deserted [illegible] some arrests [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] villages [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] accordingly the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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PRESS NOTE.

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The Deputy Commissioner Shimoga reports from Shikarpur that the whole of Issur village has been evacuated by the people, that investigation is proceeding, that some arrests have been made, and that the situation is peaceful and under control.

Out of the six injured Government servants in the Shimoga Hospital, one Constable is suffering from concussion and is unconscious and another Constable has developed pneumonia. The Police Inspector the Revenue Inspector and the Police Daffedar and one more Constable are progressing well. Two villagers of Issur have admitted themselves into the Hospital for the treatment of alleged gunshot wounds.

It is unofficially learnt that Mr. Kadappa of Churchgundi went with his followers to the relief of the Amildar and his party and rendered valuable assistance to the injured.

Subject to approval

This may be omitted in Press notes as we have no official information

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No. 143/Exc.1

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DEWAN'S MINUTE

FILE No. 194

Bangalore,

1st October 1942.

I attach a letter received today from the Minister for Finance and Revenue regarding the happenings in Shikarpur. The substance of the letter may be included in the Publicity Officer's summary of news today.

DEWAN.

Chief Secretary)

P.O

1/10/42

Rajamantrapravina
K. V. ANANTARAMAN,
Minister for Finance and Revenue

Camp Bhadravathi,
Bangalore, 30th September 1942.

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IMMEDIATE.

My dear Madhava Rao,

I left Bangalore this morning by the Passenger Train and arrived here at 4.30 P.M. Mr. M. Seshadri, Inspector-General of Police also arrived here a few minutes before I came in.

Mr. Seshadri and I went to Shimoga and saw the injured persons in the Hospital. There are six injured Government Servants in the Hospital, the Police Inspector, the Revenue Inspector, the Police Duffedar and three Police Constables. One Constable is suffering from concussion and is unconscious and another has developed Pneumonia. The others are progressing well. Two villagers of Isur Village have admitted themselves into the Hospital for the treatment for gun-shot wounds.

I understand that the whole population, both men and women of Isur Village, have left their homes. One arrest is reported to have been made at Isur today. I have not been able to get into touch with the Deputy Commissioner, but from what is learnt from people who have come from Shikarpur today, there is nothing further to report than what has already been communicated to Government by the Deputy Commissioner.

30 men out of the troops stationed at Bhadravathi, have gone to Shikarpur and about 50 Provincial Reserve Police men also have been sent there. The Special train bringing the troops from Mysore is expected here at 10 o'clock this evening. I shall ask them to remain here and arrange for 10 of the Mysore Lancers who are now here to proceed to Shikarpur with their horses. They will be leaving this on Friday morning. The mounted troops will be useful for patrolling the Villages round about Isur and on the British Frontier. The information available is that the

tomorrow morning and planning to get back tomorrow evening after making local enquiries and making necessary arrangements for - patrolling the area and for the proper investigation of the cases which have been registered. I shall send you a message after I return to Bhadravathi. I shall probably get back to Bangalore on Friday morning.

Yours Sincerely

K. Chandrasekara Rao

Pradhana Siromani
N. Madhava Rau, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND REVENUE.

I left Bangalore on the morning of the 30th September by the Poona Passenger train and reached Bhadravathi in the afternoon at 4.30. I met the General Manager, Mysore Iron and Steel Works and made enquiries regarding the situation there. There was no excitement of any kind and the labourers were attending the factory and doing their work normally. The families of the labourers who were dismissed were gradually leaving the place without creating any trouble. The Inspector-General of Police had arrived in Bhadravathi a short time before I arrived there. He and I went to Shimoga on hearing that the Officers injured at Isur, Shikarpur Taluk had been brought there for treatment. I found in the Hospital six injured persons, the Police Inspector, the Revenue Inspector, the Police Duffedar and three Constables. The condition of the Police Duffedar and one Police Constable was causing anxiety, the former because he had developed pneumonia and the latter because he had sustained injuries to his head and was unconscious eversince he was struck down at Isur. Two persons from Isur have admitted themselves into the Hospital for treatment for gun-shot injuries. One of them, a goldsmith, has been shot through the chest and the other a Lingayet on his cheek. Neither of them is in danger of his life. I met some of the important non-official gentlemen at Shimoga. They expressed horror at the brutal manner in which the Amildar, the Police Inspector and others were set upon and assaulted by the people of Isur. I returned to Bhadravathi at 7.30 P.M.

2. On the morning of the 1st instant, the Inspector General of Police and I left Bhadravathi for Shikarpur. The Revenue Commissioner who had arrived on tour also accompanied us. We first went to the Mc Gann Hospital at Shimoga and made enquiries regarding the condition of the injured persons. We learnt from the District Medical Officer that all of th

including the Police Duffedar and the Constable who were unconscious.

3. We then proceeded to Shikarpur via Soulanga. Beyond Harogoppa where the road branches to Anjanapur, we found that the telegraph line had been cut at several points. Roadside trees which had been cut down and thrown across the road to prevent the movement of tropps to Shikarpur, had been removed and were lying by the side of the road. One culvert had been damaged but had been repaired. We arrived at Shikarpur at about 10.30 A.M.

4. We met the Deputy Commissioner at the Travellers' Bungalow and made enquiries about the situation. The trouble is due to the spread of the civil disobedience movement started in British India. This area is in close proximity to Byadgi, Hubli and other places in Southern Dharwar where the political situation has been extremely grave and there has been sabotage, interruption of communications etc. There was an incident on the 22nd September at Shiralkoppa when the Sub Inspector was assaulted by a mob. Several villages have become acutely infected with this agitation and there has been open defiance of all Governmental authority. Isur which is situated on the road from Anjanapur to Shikarpur is one of the villages seriously affected. The village is a big one with a population of nearly 1800 people most of whom are Lingayets. The people are very well-to-do. The lands are very fertile and are assured of an unfailing water supply since the construction of the Anjanapur Reservoir.

5. The situation in Isur for some time past had assumed a very grave aspect. The villagers in a body had declared themselves against what they described as the present irresponsible Government. They organized themselves and set up a kind of parallel Government. They appointed a young lad of eight years as their " Amildar " and formed a small volunteer corps to enforce the decisions of the new organization. They wanted the Patel, the Shanbhogue and the members of the Village Panchayet to resign their Offices. The Patel and the Shanbhogue refused to

26th September. On their refusal to resign, their records were taken away and they were sentenced to a fine or in default of its payment to stand on one leg for three hours. The Patel refused to take the punishment but the Shanbhogue was compelled to stand on one leg for over an hour. Volunteers enforced the punishment, any attempt on the part of the Shanbhogue to put down his leg being prevented by blows. The Shanbhogue went to Shikarpur on the 27th to report to the Amildar what had happened. He could not see the Amildar that day. When he went to see him on the morning of the 28th he found that the Amildar and party had left for Gama which is a village adjoining Isur.

6. On the morning of the 28th September the Amildar accompanied by the Police Inspector, the Sub Inspector, the Revenue Inspector, the Police Duffedar and three Constables went to Gama, where also this agitation had gathered strength, with a view to advise the villagers against the course of action that they were taking. They had a fairly successful meeting with the villagers. It seems to have been their idea to return to Shikarpur from Gama but one of them seems to have suggested that as they had come so far they might as well visit Isur and then return to Shikarpur. They moved on to Isur which they reached about noon. At the entrance to the village, a notice board had been put up that no servant of the irresponsible Government should enter the village and if they did——. The penalty was not stated. It obviously meant that they would do so at their own risk. The party entered the village and were soon met by a number of boys and girls who asked them to remove their hats, to resign their jobs, to put on Gandhi caps and join the Congress. The party were greatly pestered by the crowd but somehow they managed to reach the local temple which is situated to the south of the village. The crowd had greatly increased by this time and the members of the party had been closely surrounded. One of the crowd knocked down the hat of the Sub Inspector. When the Sub Inspector turned towards his assailant he was pushed about and dropped to the ground. Finding himself surrounded by the people who were in an ugly

he then fired his revolver and two or three persons were hit. The crowd shouted for the assistance of the villagers and soon the whole village assembled there. This is a very thickly populated village. Every house has a stock of fuel stacked in its back-yard. The mob armed themselves from these staks of fire-wood and belaboured the Amildar and party in the most brutal manner. All members of the party were severely beaten. The Amildar and the Sub Inspector of Police were battered to death on the spot. One Police Constable escaped and the others fell unconscious on the spot. A peculiar feature of the attack was that even women and children belonging to the well-to-do families in the village took an active part in the assault.

7. News of the occurrence reached Shikarpur about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and the Taluk Sheristedar in consultation with the Special Magistrate who was camping at Shikarpur sent information by messengers on cycles to Shimoga. These messengers met the Assistant Engineer Mr. Hutchaveeraiya who was working on the road near Harogoppa who undertook to convey the message. The Deputy Commissioner, the District Medical Officer and the Reserve Police arrived at Shikarpur about 11 o'clock at night by which time the injured men and the bodies of the deceased Officers also arrived at Shikarpur. The despatch of the bodies from Isur to Shikarpur was arranged by a neighbouring villager by name Kadappa who has had a very bad record for creating many troubles in this area previously. He is closely connected with the people of Isur. He seems to have been sent for by the people of Isur after the Police party had been assaulted. Kadappa came to the village and probably realising that the villagers had gone much further than they should have, persuaded the villagers to send away the injured men and the bodies to Shikarpur. To people at Shimoga who have known Kadappa, the fact that he helped to send away the injured men to Shikarpur was a surprise. Latterly he has been trying to influence the Deputy Commissioner and others in favour of the people who have perpetrated the offence at Isur. The Deputy Commissioner told me that Kadappa behaved in a very insolent manner when he visited the village and he was threatening the Officers that if they

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they did not listen to his suggestions, he would approach high Officers of Government and get the Lawyers in Shimoga to agitate.

8. The foregoing is a brief account of the occurrence at Isur.

9. I had a discussion of the arrangements to be made for the future. The first point is the investigation of the case for rioting and murder that has been registered by the Police. The village of Isur has been deserted except for a few old women and old men. The villagers seem to have run away to the jungles closeby and they come back to the village only at night to cook and eat their food. They leave the village early in the morning and keep out the whole day.

10. The injured persons have given the names of several of those who took part in the attack made on them. Over 40 names have been given and of them only two have been arrested. The two persons injured by gun-shot, who also participated in the assault, will now be arrested. The remaining persons have to be traced and arrested. A strong Police force has been moved into Isur. Search parties will be sent out to the surrounding areas to trace and apprehend the persons who are in hiding. The civil disobedience movement in the adjoining British area is very strong and as the political agitators in that area have been greatly responsible for developing this movement in such a violent form in this area, it is possible that some of the rioters may have escaped into the British limits. Not only will these people have to be traced but further attempts to create trouble in Mysore limits prevented. With this object in view, we decided that a detachment should be stationed at Shiralkoppa and Shikarpur. The rest of the force will for the present be kept at Isur. There are at present in Shikarpur about 70 Provincial Reserve Police and 30 men of the Mysore Lancers Horse. 3 Platoons of the Mysore Infantry have arrived in Bhadravathi. One Platoon will be retained at Bhadravathi and the other two sent to Shikarpur. The Mobile Wireless set from the Palace will be sent to Shikarpur so that it may be available for the Deputy Commissioner to send messages to Bhadravathi, Mysore and Bangalore. The other Palace

Wireless set will be retained at Bhadravathi.

11. Shikarpur is quiet and it is understood that quite a large number of people of the Town are horrified of the doings of the people of Isur. A few important Patels have resigned their offices and it is feared that several more may do so. These people have thrown themselves into the Congress movement whole-heartedly and both by their position and local influence are trying to keep the movement in strength.

12. For the present everything is quiet and the force locally available is adequate to deal with any emergency that may arise. At the same time the local authorities must be on the alert.

13. I left Isur at about 2.30 P.M., and went to - Anjanapur. I returned to Bhadravathi in the evening after calling on the way at the Hospital to make enquiries about the wounded persons.

14. Just about the time I was about to leave Bhadravathi, I received information that trouble was anticipated at Nyamathi in Honnali Taluk and at Tirthahalli on the following day in connection with the celebration of Gandhi Jayanthi. The local authorities had asked for help. Arrangements were - immediately made to send a detachment of the Mysore Horse to Nyamathi in charge of Major Shama Rao and a Platoon of the - Palace Infantry to Thirthahalli. The Platoon that goes to - Thirthahalli will later proceed to Shikarpur. The men of the Mysore Horse sent to Nyamathi will later return to Arsikere from which they were drawn for duty at Bhadravathi.

15. It is very necessary that C.I.D. staff should be sent in sufficient strength to find out the organization of this movement in Shikarpur Taluk, the names of those who have actively participated in it, the nature and extent of the - support it has received from outside and so on. Both on this subject and also on the necessity of getting into touch with the British Police authorities of Dharwar, I have given necessary instructions to the Inspector-General of Police. The Inspector-General of Police will camp at Shimoga for some time

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keep himself in touch with the Deputy Commissioner who is in Shikarpur.

16. I left Bhadravathi on the night of the 1st instant and returned to Bangalore on the morning of the 2nd instant.

17. I met the Dewan and explained to him the situation in Shikarpur.

18. The labour at Bhadravathi is quiet and there is no room for any anxiety.

19. I have put down the foregoing facts on record for the information of Government.

K V Aiyar

MINISTER,
FINANCE AND REVENUE.

Bangalore,
3rd October 1942.

Dewan

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Submitted to His Highness.

I submit for the information of His Highness a report submitted by the Minister for Finance and Revenue on the situation at Issur in Shikarpur Taluk.

N Madhava Rau

DEWAN.

Bangalore,

3rd October 1942.

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Report on the situation at Issur in Shikarpur Taluk.

Order.

no 271.

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General and Revenue

Secretariat.

SUBJECT:—

Report on the situation at Issur in Shikarpur Taluk.

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14. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Ministers for perusal after the issue of orders.

16. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after, to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Ministers.

17. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Ministers at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Council of Ministers for perusal of His Highness' orders before/after issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 14, 16 and 17 of the Subsidiary Rules of the Mysore Government Business Rules.) (*)

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Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

.....Department.

3189/11.X.42 Minister for Finance and Revenue. 11.10

3127/11.X.42 Minister for Law. 11-10-42

26 1850/11.10.42 Minister for Education. 12.10.42

2995/12/10 Minister for Local Self-Govt. and Public Health. 12.10.42

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NOTE.—Contn. sheet

WD 0718—GPB—1,000—11-9-42

Mr. C. Narayanaswamy Naidu, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Camp, D. O. No. P 573/42 (Camp) Mysore,

~~Bangalore~~, Dated, 15th October 1942.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to state that it is proposed to appoint a Special Judge under the Special Criminal Courts Act for trying the accused in the Issur Murder Case. I am to request you to be so good as to arrange to have the investigation completed soon, so that the charge sheet may be placed against as many accused as have been arrested so far.

Yours sincerely,

(Sd.) C. Narayanaswamy Naidu

15-10-1942.

To

M. Navaneetham Naidu, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
District Magistrate,
Shimoga.

CHIEF SECRETARY
16 OCT. 1942
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Copy submitted to the Chief Secretary, as directed by the Law Minister. CP

15/10.

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D. O. No. C. C. 55/42-43 Encl. one

M. SESHADRI, Esq., M.A.,

[redacted]

Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

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BANGALORE
Camp Mysore.
18-10-1942.

My dear Sir,

I am sending herewith a copy of Mr. Somappa's note about the Isoor incident.

I remain,
My dear Sir,
Yours sincerely,

M Seshadri

Rajamantrapravina
A.V.Ramanathan, Esq.,B.A.,
Minister for Law,
Mysore.

The note discloses slackness in attention to incidents prior to the Isoor tragedy 28.9.42. The pity of it is that ~~Any Hoot~~ this has happened even though I had warned the Dewan, DSP ~~the SSC~~

~~Sagar~~ personally on 17-9-42 at Bhadrawati
in view of the burning of 3 Railway Stations beyond
Harihar (in ~~Dharwar Dt~~) on the night of 15/16 by
mounted gangs & the destruction of bridges beyond
our frontier in N. Canara Dt on the previous
week & I warned the S-Dte Sagar
Similarly on 18/9 at Sagar.

28/10/42

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Introduced

The congress activities at Issoor, Shikaripur taluk, began on 17-8-1942 with a procession led by Shantaveeriah, Mallesappa and Rudrappa - students of Issoor Middle School in the villages of Issoor, Gama and Chickjogihalli. On 24-8-42, Babanna, Revannappa and Papanna - students of Shimoga. and Lingappa - a student of the Intermediate College, Shimoga, all residents of Issoor, visited Issoor village and led a procession. The same evening a meeting was held with Sahukar Basavannappa as president. Angadi Halappa, Soorappachari, Ramappachari, Paniappachari and Devangada Shankarappa took a leading part in the meeting (Sahukar Basavannappa, Soorappachari and Paniappachari are the important accused in the present case). Speeches were delivered at the said meeting advising the villagers not to send their children to schools, not to give help to Government servants who visit the village and refuse payment of taxes etc. till freedom was achieved. It is also learnt that the villagers were apprised of the shooting incidents at Bangalore and Davanagere and with a view to avoid the information of the said shooting spreading to other parts of the State, the Government themselves dislocated the train services as well as the telegraph. On 27-8-42, another meeting was held in front of Veerabhadra temple with Sahukar Basavannappa as president. The speakers in the meeting advocated that the villagers should freely cut trees in the forests without obtaining any license, not to pay taxes etc. On 28-8-42, another procession was led in the village with slogans "Gandhi-Ki-Jai" " ಕಳ್ಳಂಬಳ್ಳಿಲ ಯಂಲ್ಲಾಮನ್ನು ಕೊಂಡಿ" etc. Later. the processionists gathered in the house of Sahukar Basavannapa and collected subscriptions in the village. On 6-9-42, Patel Gurubasavaiah of Issoor reported that Prabhat Pheri was going

on in Issoor village and that students were taking part in the processions, prominent among them being Sahukar Basavannappa, Angadi Halappa, Lingoji ~~Rxm~~ and others, and that they have also written in conspicuous places in the village that they should set fire to Taluk Office and burn the Daftars of Patels and Shanbhogues etc. On 13-9-42, a public meeting was held in Shikaripur town with Neelakantappa (a student) of Shikaripur as president. Nagavanda Brahmappa, Shivaram Mallari Jois of Rettehalli(both of Dharwar District), and Devangada Shankarappa of Issoor delivered speeches saying that the Government servants are depending on the moneys of the ryots and that the pay of the Police (C.I.D.) who are taking down speeches delivered by them is paid out of this money and that they (C.I.Ds.) should not be allowed to do so - ಪೊಲೀಸ್ ಅಂಕಿ ಬರೆದುಕೊಂಡರು etc. All these speakers are learnt to have visited Issoor on 14-9-42 and held a meeting and delivered speeches inciting the villagers not to pay taxes etc. On 15-9-42, Nisarani Halappa, Devangada Shankarappa and Sahukar Basavannappa visited Gama village and held a public meeting with Annadana Siddalingappa as president. The speakers are reported to have advocated a No-Tax- Campaign, to take proper action against the Patels and Shanbhogues and other village servants to see that they do not perform their duties, that village records with the Patels and Shanbhogues are to be burnt, and that all Government servants should be disgraced if they visited the villages etc. Their speeches have been reported to be very inciting. It is learnt that Brahmappa of Nagavanda (Dharwar Dist.), Mahadevappa - a student and a native of Churchigundi, Ningoji, Revannappa - students of High School and natives of Issoor, were inciting the villagers to disgrace the Government servants and not to pay taxes. The local congressites N.R. Girimaji, Vasappa Gogi and K. Hanumantha Reddi are also said to have visited

the village and carried on propaganda inciting the people. All the three have been subsequently arrested and detained. On 17-9-42, when Police Constable No.319 Venkatapathi visited Issoor village, the congressites are reported to have insulted him by removing his turban and taking him in the streets with a Gandhi cap on his head. On 19-9-42 Police Constable No. 314 Mohamed Beig was submitted to similar humiliation by Sahukar Basavannappa, Lingoji, Shivappa and others who made the constable carry a congress flag in his hand and asked him not to visit the village again and should he visit the village again, he would be made to wear a saree and taken round. On 25-9-42, the Sub-Inspector of Police, Shikaripur kasaba, reported that Annadanam Siddalingappa. Sahukar Basavannappa, Hoogti Mahadevappa, Gurubasaviah of Gama, Nisani Halappa. Devangada Shankarappa are responsible for causing damage to the culvert in Haroguppe. On 26-9-42, Police Constable Guttappa is learnt to have gone to Issoor - his native place - to perform his father's ceremony. About 100 to 150 persons are reported to have caught hold of the Constable at the entrance of the village and taken him to Veerabhadra temple where Angadi Halappa is said to have questioned the Constable as to from where he had come and where he was going etc. Guttappa was not allowed to go to his house but detained in the temple till mid-night and then permitted to go to his house. The same day, the Daftars of the Patel and Shanbhogue were burnt. On 27-9-42, a Prabhat Pheri was taken out in the village under the leadership of Sahukar Basavannappa and his wife Halamma. Police Constable Guttappa was forced to take part in the Prabhat Pheri. While Prabhat Pheri was going on in the village, Angadi Halappa, Basavannappa and others exhorted the villagers to be ready with their clubs etc. and do away with the lives of the Police and other Government servants when they visit the village. They constructed a pandal in the village, held a meeting and appointed a boy named Jayappa as Congress Amildar and decided to obey him and act according to his directions. They caught hold of Patel Channabasappa, and Shanbhogue Rangappa when they had gone

to the village and made them to stand the whole day in the hot sun on one leg and insulted them very badly as per directions of the so-called Congress Amildar Jayappa. The girls of the village took a very leading part in insulting the Shanbhogue and the Patel. The Patel and Shanbhogue were let off the same evening with instructions to tender resignation to their offices.

About a fortnight before 28-9-42, the villagers are said to have hung up a board at the entrance to the village with writings in Kannada " స్వతంత్ర కార్యము - పన్నులు కట్టకూడదు కట్టినచో వీరభద్రుడు అనుకూలం ఉండడు...ఒళ్ళకే ఇందకే...?

They also wrote at Veerabhadra temple that taxes should not be paid, Post offices to be burnt and the Government officers to be murdered etc.

The Congress Movement was given an impetus at Issoor by Brahmappa of Nagavanda and Shivaram Mallari Jois of Rattehalli, who came from Hirekerur taluk in Dharwar District. Sahukar Basavannappa of Issoor took the lead in strengthening the Movement. Kadappa of Churchigundi is also reported to have aided the said Basavannappa in strengthening the Movement. Basavannappa and Kadappa of Churchigundi are now absconding and arrangements are made to secure both of them. Arrangements are also made to secure the 12 congressites of Shiralakoppa and 8 persons of Sorab taluk who are taking a leading part in setting up agitation in Sorab and Shikaripur taluks.

The Patel and the Shanbhogue of Issoor, after the humiliation and torture on 27th went to Shikaripur on 28th morning to report to the Amildar who had by that time left for Issoor with the Police Inspector, Sub-Inspector, Daffedar and 4 Constables, besides the Revenue Inspector. The Amildar and the Police officers first visited Gama where the villagers advised the Amildar that it is not safe to visit Issoor without sufficient Police force. The Sub-Inspector is reported to have prevailed on the

on the Amildar and taken him to Isoor. Leaving the bicycles in Chickjogihalli the Amildar and the Police officers walked to Isoor where at the entrance they found a board referred to in para 2. The Sub-Inspector seized the board and a boy watchman kept at the place gave intimation to the villagers about the arrival of the officers and the removal of the board. When the Amildar and the Police officers reached Veerabhadra Temple a gong was sounded and all the villagers gathered at the Temple. Some girls began to pull the uniform of the Sub-Inspector, while some villagers removed the hats of the Sub-Inspector, the Police Inspector and the Amildar despite the advise of the officers not to do so. The villagers took to violence and began to push the officers. The Sub-Inspector then opened fire with his revolver (used 3 rounds) and Gurushanthappa and Paniyappachari sustained injuries. Immediately the villagers attacked the officers again with clubs and beat them till the Sub-Inspector and the Amildar were dead. The Inspector and the Revenue Inspector were tied to a pole and beaten till they were rescued. Even water was refused to the dying officers and they were saved from being burnt alive only by the interference of the neighbouring villagers, who removed the bodies as well as the injured to Shikaripur hospital the same evening. After these were removed the villagers went about cutting the telegraph wires running between Shikaripur and Shimoga and obstructed the road from Shimoga to Shikaripur by cutting huge trees and putting them across the road. The Deputy Commissioner is reported to have received intimation at Bhadravati by about 4-30 p.m. and left for Shikaripur by about 7 p.m. The officers went to Isoor on 29th evening.

D.S.P. S.B.

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Report dated 14-10-42 of the Sub-Inspector of Police, Special Branch C.I.D. at Shimoga.

It is learnt that letters have been written to Messrs: Rama Rao and Krishnaraja Bhatta saying that their buses will be burnt in case they lend them to the Police and Military. It is suspected that Kadidal Manjappa Gowda, Jwarari Srinivasa Rao of Thirthahalli, K.N. Murthy of Shimoga are responsible for these letters. Kadidal Manjappa Gowda has since been arrested and the Police Inspector, Shimoga taluk, has been requested to obtain a warrant to arrest Jwarari Srinivasa Rao. In Thirthahalli town, Prabhat Pheri is carried on every morning. Picketing at toddy and liquor shops is also going on. B.N.Shankarappa, Sivarajasetti, Purushothama s/o Tudki Ramnna Gowda, Vasudeva s/o Mudligiri Rao, Ramachandra Rao s/o Javali Raghupathi Rao, Kittappa, H.S. Sarvothama - students of the High School, Thirthahalli and K.V. Kamath, Peshkar a Appu Rao, K. Sadasiva Rao, brother-in-law of Sahukar Nagabhushana Rao of Kasaravalli, a woman Dakamma and girls Manorame and Appi are taking active part in leading Prabhat Pheri and picketing toddy and liquor shops. Dr.Charles, Dr. Chandrasekhara, Sivaramthi Ananda Rao, J. Ramakrishna Rao, Raghupathi Rao and others are learnt to be the instigators of congress activity in Thirthahalli. It is also learnt that Salanetti Vijayadeva, Kalmakki Manjappa, Hiregadde Venkappa Agalbagal Channappa and a few others are approaching the villagers in Araga and the surrounding villages not to pay land revenue and not to deposit the fire-arms. It is also learnt that Messrs: Thippa Jois, Ramakrishna Rao, Dakappa, Dr. Charles and Dr. Chandrasekhar are intending to approach the Deputy Commissioner and the Government to withdraw the order asking the people to deposit the fire-arms as in their opinion their crops would be destroyed by the wild animals if they do not have fire-arms.

In Augumbe, Vijendra Rao, G. Hanumantha Rao, Sadasiva Rao are learnt to be taking active part in congress activities. Kaka Ibrahim sab of Hunchadakatte (District Board Member) is learnt to be moving in Konandur limits exhorting the people to break the law by cutting sandalwood trees, teak trees etc.

It is learnt that on 6-10-42 manuscript pamphlets were affixed near the shops in Thirthahalli town to the effect that shop-keepers have not sold kerosene oil to the people and that their shops would be looted and shop-keepers murdered etc. On the same day about 100 poor-class persons of Thirthahalli approached the Police complaining against the merchants for not selling them kerosene oil. The local Police are reported to have interfered and arranged for the sale of kerosene to the people.

So far, 31 members are arrested in Issoor murder case and all of them have been brought to Shimoga for holding an identification parade near the McGann Hospital.

SECRET

Bangalore,
Oct. 16, 1942.

63/42-43/83

Copy forwarded, with compliments, to the Chief Secretary to Government, for information.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE
IN MYSORE.

Copy of a report dated 16-10-42 by an officer of the Special Branch C.I.D. in Mysore, Bangalore.

Visited Hosanagar and Nagar. It is learnt that Prabhat Pheri is going on in Hosanagar and Nagar every morning and that Mudalabagilu Krishnappa of Hosanagar is taking the lead for carrying on Prabhat Pheris in Hosanagar. The local police informed me that except Prabhat Pheries no activities such as no-tax campaign etc. are going on.

Some boys of Hosanagar have been booked already under Secs. 454, 427 and 147 I.P.C. for having entered an arrack shop in Hosanagar town by breaking open it and for breaking the jar etc.

One Nandgappa a native of Davanagere and an ex-Middle-School teacher of Nagar was arrested yesterday(15-10-42) under Rule 26 of the Defence of India Rules as he was very active in advising the villagers not to pay land revenue etc. Some boys mostly Saraswats assembled when he was arrested in Nagar. He was served with food in the house of Sahukar Bheema-Rao.

It is learnt that Mr. Srinivasa Udep of Nagar has sent his resignation letter to the District War Committee, Shimoga. I requested the Police Inspector, Hosanagar to watch the activities of Raka Ibrahim Sab, District Board Member (on congress ticket) and to take necessary action if he is taking part in the Civil Disobedience Movement.

It is learnt that some Patels and Shanbhogues of Thirthahalli taluk have sent up their resignations to their respective offices and the number of Patels and Shanbhogues is roughly estimated to be about 50 & 60 respectively. It is further learnt that it was due to propaganda work turned out by Kadidala Manjappa Gowda and others(Kadidala Manjappa Gowda was arrested).

Jwarari Manjanathiah who was also responsible for this, has been arrested (15-10-42) for detention by the Police-

Inspector, Shimoga. I was also present. His son Jwarari Srinivasa Rao has gone to Thirthanalli again. Sub-Inspector, Shimoga is requested to arrest him as he is expected here.

It is learnt that Sadasiva Rao - brother-in-law of Kasaravalli Sahukar Mr. Nagabhushana Rao is very active in that taluk regarding whose activities mention is made in a previous report.

Rama Krishna Rao, Nagesha Rao - brothers of Mr. Nagabhushana Rao are also learnt to be visiting the villages in that taluk exhorting patels and shanbhogues to resign their posts.

The activities of these persons are brought to the notice of the local police for taking action if necessary.

A meeting of students of College and schools is proposed to be held in the Town Hall, Shimoga, on 21-10-42 to discuss whether the strike of college and schols should be continued or called off. Permission is learnt to have been obtained to convene the meeting in the Town Hall.

Public talk much regarding the alleged atrocities of the Military and Police at Issoor.

It is learnt that some people of Nyamathi had approached Correspondent Mr. Rama Rao day-before-yesterday and stated that the military stationed in Nyamathi are washing their clothes in the drinking water-pond and they are easing near by (i.e. to the pond) and the said matter may be published in the newspapers etc. It is learnt that Mr. Rama Rao told them that they may approach the authorities who are in Nyamathi or any one in Shimoga and seek redress and that he would not report such things for publication in the paper etc.

No. S.B.63/42-43 Bangalore, 17th Oct. 1942.

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INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE

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Telephone message from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga Camp Shikarpur, to the Chief Secretary to Govt

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20-10-1942. (9.50 A.M.)

Situation in Issur and other places in the District is quiet. One absconding accused in Issur case found. Ordered detention of six persons found on the Hirekerur border. Our Military and Police at Shiralkoppa are co-operating with the Hirekerur Police in the frontier patrol work. Awaiting Government orders regarding the Special Criminal Court and a Special Public Prosecutor at Sagar for the Issur case on my proposal.

L.M. Dewan S.P.

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MYSORE STATE RAILWAY L.T. 4

LICENSED TELEGRAPHS

SERVICE MESSAGE

Class XXR Code 42 Local No.

Prefix

	Date	H.	M.	Service Instructions	Words
	9/10	23	30		

From Person / Station Shankarpur

To Person / Station Home Minister Camp Basrikatte

S. Thalur circle is quiet
One more person is arrested
total arrested so far 24
encroachment proceeding
Vasila Sheralkoppa, Sorab
Sagar, Talgappa frontier
dog. Situation peaceful
Two persons arrested and
detained in Sheralkoppa
and Anjamathi. There
was a postal dacoity

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	Date	H.	M.	Service Instructions	Words

From		To	
Person		Person	
Station		Station	

Yesterday evening the British limit three miles from the Shiralkoppa frontier our military patrolling the area on our frontier

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Telephone message received from the Deputy Commissioner Shimoga to the Chief Secretary.

14-10-1942. (8 P.M).

Situation at Issur is quiet One more person arrested. Total arrests so far - 31. Identification parade held at Shimoga to-day. One Kadidal Manjappa, Advocate Shimoga arrested and and detained. The situation in the District is peaceful.

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No: 2078/CB
dt 15.10.42

Forwarded with compliments to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore, for information.

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Chief Secretary to Government

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Rec'd at 1 A.m. 20.10.42

Date and Time 20-10-42 9.15 P.m.

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WIRELESS MESSAGE

From The Deputy Commissioner Shimoga

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore Bangalore

Situation in Sorab & other places in the district is quiet + Two more absconding accused in Sorab case have surrendered to the Court & two other missing newspapers were also recovered from the Sorab's backyard hidden in a pit in a pit + Efforts being made to trace the other absconding accused + issues an extension of time for the labourers in Khadra work

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MPR

Editor

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(Pads of 100).

MESSAGE FORM.

(11-58 pm)

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Read at 23-55 Aug 1/10

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(1) THE DEWAN OF MYSORE BANGALORE (2) LAW MINISTER BANGALORE

FROM THE MINISTER FOR FINANCE, REV. CAMP BANDARIPET.	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number

Warning Bhadravati early morning
Received Shimoga Sakrapur
Issue Antanapur Between 5
Bhadravati for now 0 Detachment
at Shikarpur position with
Inspector General Forest Police and
Deputy Commissioner Forest Retreat on
Further action stop Issur Received
stop Police encamped from
Infantry strength stop Position
fully unites column stop Hiriyapur
Hubli and Surveys Camp in Hill
morning stop Am Advancing Attack
I disposition of Enemy Left
like Intelligence Detachment and To
Piece stop Liberty Ye Bangalore
Tonight Doors

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M. P. A. M., D. W.—G 1575—16-13-41—20,000 Pads.

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TO (1) LAW MINISTER BYDRIE (2) CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT BYDR
(3) FINANCE REVENUE BLOSC (4) I.G. OF POLICE BANGKOK

FROM DEPUTY COMMISSIONER SHIMOGA Originator's Number. Date 30 In Reply to Number

DIST CAMP SHIMOGA

Further to my message of yesterday from
SHIMOGA Camp regarding the disturbance
are pleased to find the surrounding
locality yesterday afternoon and again the
assembly of 2 M.P. and made enquiries stop
The entire village is deserted by the
people the majority appear to have moved
as far as [illegible] stop The situation
village appears normal majority of the
Thre- secretary the civil the Amil
accompanied the Asst Superintendent of
Police and Circle Inspector of Police
all of whom carried out stop The situation
Tesk [illegible] remains normal stop 855 PM

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Minister
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T.O.R.

M. P. & E. Bd. W.—G 1578—16-13-41—20,000 Pads.

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Telephone Message from the Deputy Commissioner Shimoga District, Camp Issur.

9.30. A.M.

Found six bicycles in Issur pond. Visited surrounding villages. Investigation proceeding. Wireless sets and the Palace Infantry arrived here this afternoon. The situation is peaceful. Camping here. Reserve police and the Military detachments sent today to Nyamti. 20 persons arrested there for detention and sent to Shimoga.

Submitted to the Minister for Law.

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A. F. O-2130 (Large) (Pads of 100).

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TO THE DEWAN. (ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.) THE LAW MEMBER, THE REVENUE MEMBER, CHIEF SECRETARY

FROM THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER ISUR Originator's Number. DALL 3 In Reply to Number

detachment on LSUR to headquarters and were found to be United some more reconnaissance village. Total of about two hundred head of the village have now returned second course of investigation proceedings of right accused and all eight cycles against on for of No contact today of the chief accused remains are still at ABSONDING of detachment MY AMATHI and THAHAHAY actual more of One suspect named Kunnil of the SAGAR Ground has been completed but no obstruction to traffic Maintenance for its behaviour and patrol made.

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M. P. & M. D. W.—G 1576—16-12-41—20,000 Pads. Dlb

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(Pads of 100).

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OUT 22/6

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TO Revenue Minister, Chief Secretary.
Law Minister Chief Commandant Bangalore

FROM Deputy Commissioner Bangalore

Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
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Situation in NYAMATI is
peaceful and under Control stop
No incidents stop The military
Contingent under Major SHAMA RAO
SINDHE was of help to
all dacoity stop Je and Sundara
the military from NYAMATI back
to ARSIKERE and Control army
Reserve police Stop Situation is
issue peaceful Stop The
remaining two Cipher forenoon the
morning Stop message Ends

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TO (1) The Dewan (ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY)
(2) Law Member (3) The Revenue Member
(4) Chief Secretary all

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
DC ISUR	—	5	—

Situation in Fane cabin O None to report
reported No village O None more
made this morning O Total arrests so
far seventeen O Investigations proceeding
O Military section being started
DITIRALKOPPADAGAS and TALAGUPPA for
safe guarding O Detention orders issued
amount some more expressions time O
Further arrangements made

3.25 Pm
5 · 10.42

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THE DEWAN THE LAW MEMBER THE REVENUE MEMBER CHIEF SECRETARY

FRCM DEPUTY COMMISSIONER ISOOR	Originator's Number.	Date 4	In Reply to Numbe

situation in Isoor is peaceful. More people have returned to the village today. Investigation regarding the chief accused are still absconding. Visited Jauralkapa and Nadpa and Arras area and got two persons for detention. The others wanted could not be found. The situation in Nyamacha area is Isoor calm. Thirtchally

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(1) Revenue Minister (2) Law Minister

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
DC ISUR		5	

Copy of message sent to IGP camp Khimoja reads Telegram received from District Magistrate Dharwar suggesting to meet Lt officers at HAVERI & Action for the arrest in Kirakkohalli limits of the persons mentioned therein arranged by me & Kindly arrange to meet Dharwar District Magistrate or Police Officer

This is only CMS Office a telegram sent to IGP

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated, Bangalore 5th Octr., 1942

Memo No. 1910/CS 97.1

Forwarded with compliments to the Inspector General of Police, camp Shimoga.

O/C

S/W

Chief Secretary to Government.

Subject:-

Petition dated 1-10-42 relating to the affairs of Issur.

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TO The Diwan The Home Minister The Revenue Minister Chief Secretary, G.P. all Bangalore

FROM D.C. Inur

Originator's Number.

Date 6

In Reply to Number

Situation	in	ISLR	is	peaceful	O
More	people	have	returned	to	the
village		On	more	areas	made
O	Total	arrest	so	far	eighteen
& C.	Investigation	proceeding	O	Mr.	BABU
EDPY Laboratory	with	a	small	party	has
proceeded	to	SORAB	TALUK	Frontier	on
information	for	securing	the	chief	accused
C'	Posted	military	sections	is	SHIRALK
OPPA	SAGAR	and	THALAGUPPA	and	made
arrangements					

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TO 1. The DEWAN. (ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)
2. LAW MINISTER. 3. REVENUE MINISTER
4. CHIEF SECRETARY 5. The I.G.P. 6. Bungalow

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
D C ISUR		6	

Situation as
One of
newborn
It
was
known

Jaya the three
the missing
known when
found Hatamman
1 woman accused
1 man Evening

after 10
Investigation
0

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TO [illegible] DE WMR
2 LAW MINISTER 3 REVENUE MINISTER
4 CHEIF SECRETARY 5 I.G.P. ALL B' Lore

(ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY)

FROM DC ISUR | Originator's Number. | Date | In Reply to Number

Situation in ISUR is quite calm

Investigations proceeding local arrests

no fear

GIVE THEM

Protection

some more

etc

etc

water with chain one long one with hooks

boat

sent a la station men

arms

Reinforcements 2 Sterlings night 0 clock

being made to secure the reinforcements

arrived and handed

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Chief Commandant Bangalore

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
Lt Col Basavaraj Shikarpur	34	8	

Visited Bhadravathi and Nyamathi yesterday and Panhard at 4 pm last night Stop situation at Nyamathi and 4 pm quiet now Twenty Three arrests made including Three women Stop leaving for Shimoga Koppa sagar and Talaguppa Stop leaving Kadur Tonight for Bangalore Stop

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TO

FROM DOSHI KADAR

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T. O. R. 1240

The CHIEF SECRETARY

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TO DEWAN, LAW MINISTER, REVENUE MINISTER, CHIEF SECRETARY. J.G.P. ALL BANGALORE

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
D.C. SHIKARPUR	37	9	

Situation in ISUR is quiet O One more person arrested O Total arrests so far Twenty four O Investigation proceeding O Visited SHIRALKOPPA OPPA SORAB SAGAR THALAGUPPA frontier and JOG O Situation peaceful O Ten persons arrested and detained in SHIRALKOPPA and NYAMATHI O There was a postal Mail DAILY Yesterday in view The British Limit is three miles from The SHIRALKOPPA frontier O Our military post is The area in our limits Of

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TO The DEWAN. The LAW MINISTER. REVENUE MINISTER.
CHIEF SECRETARY. IGP. all Bangalore

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FROM DC SHIKARPUR

Originator's Number	Date	In Reply to Number
40	10	

Situation in Tour and in other
places in the district peaceful and
under control ⊙ The remaining accused
concerned ... the tour incident are
still absconding and special efforts are
being made. to trace them ⊙

10/X

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BANGALORE
October 25, 1942.

M. SESHADRI, Esq., M.A.,
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysor-

Dear Mr. Mehkri,

I enclose for the information of Government, a copy of a manuscript pamphlet under the heading "Atrocities of Government servants at Essoor", copies of which were found in Shimoga Town.

Yours sincerely,
M Seshadri

Mothamed-ul-Mulk
M. G. Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
Bangalore.

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ఇది జిల్లా కార్యదర్శి మాట్లాడిన తరువాత అధ్యక్ష బాధ్యతలు

ప కార్యవర్గ అధ్యక్ష బాధ్యతలు

1) ఆర్థిక వనరులు సమీకరణ ఖర్చులు ఇతర వనరులు సంబంధించి నిర్ణయాలు తీసుకోవడం.
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ముగింపు సమావేశ నిర్వహణ బాధ్యతలు

విశ్లేషణ:- మీటింగ్ లో కార్యాచరణ అధ్యక్ష బాధ్యతలు జిల్లా మ్యాప్ జిల్లా కార్యదర్శి. రాష్ట్ర సంఘం కార్యక్రమాలు రూపొందించడం నడిపించడం అధ్యక్ష బాధ్యత నడిపించడం ప్రణాళిక తయారు చేయడం నిర్ణయం తీసుకోవడం మీటింగ్ ఎజెండా రూపొందించడం మ్యాప్ జిల్లా కార్యదర్శి అధ్యక్ష బాధ్యతలు రూపొందించడం వాటిని అమలు పరచడం ఇతర విభాగాలతో

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మినహాయింపులు ఇవ్వడానికి అభ్యంతరం లేదు

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Mr. M. NAVANEETHAM NAIDU B.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Dated Shimoga, 31st October.. *1942.*

OFFICE OF THE
MINISTER FOR LAW
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No. 3718

Submitted to the Minister for Finance and Revenue

As personally instructed at Mysore Camp, I submit herewith for kind perusal, the letter with its enclosure(resolution) that I received from the Honorary Secretary, Arecanut Mandy Merchants' Association, Shimoga. A copy of my reply is also enclosed.

Navaneetham

Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

Sd/-

4/11/42

Rajamantrapravina
K.V. Anantaraman, Esq., B.A.,
Minister for Finance and Revenue,
Bangalore.

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The Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District,
S H I M O G A

Dear Sir,

I am herewith submitting a copy of the resolution, passed at a meeting of the Shimoga Arecanut Mandy Merchants' Association, held on 10th October, 1942, under the presidentship of Mr.Hosudi Venkata Sastry.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Hony: Secretary.

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ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಈಸೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಸ್ಮಂತೆ ವಿಷಾದಕರ ಸನ್ನಿವೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಮರಣ ಹೊಂದಿದ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಅಮಾಲ್ದಾರ್ ಶ್ರೀಯುತರು ಮತ್ತು ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಸಬ್ ಇನ್ಸ್ಪೆಕ್ಟರವರ ಕುಟುಂಬವರ್ಗದವರಿಗೆ ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾ ಅಡಿಶನಲ್ ಮಂಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಕಸಂಪ್ಟದವರು ತಮ್ಮ ಪೂರ್ಣ ಅನುಕಂಪವನ್ನು ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ವಿಶೇಷ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾನೂನುಗಳಾದ ಸ್ಪೆಷಲ್ ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಗಳ ಕಾನೂನು ಮತ್ತು ಆಥರ್ ಶಕ್ತಿಯ ಕಾನೂನುಗಳನ್ನು ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗೆ ಅನ್ವಯಿಸುವುದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಸೂಕ್ತವಾದ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಈ ಸಂಪ್ಟದವರು ಸರ್ಕಾರವನ್ನು ಒತ್ತಾಯಿಸಿದೆ. ಶತ್ರುಗಳ ಆಕ್ರಮಣದ ಬೆದರಿಕೆ ಇರುವ ಸನ್ನಿವೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕಾನೂನುಗಳನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ತರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರವನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ನೀಡಿದ್ದು, ಇದನ್ನು ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗೆ ಈಗ ಅನ್ವಯಿಸಲು ಸರ್ಕಾರವನ್ನು ಕೋರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದುದರಿಂದ ಇಂತಹ ಕಾನೂನುಗಳನ್ನು ಬೇಗನೆ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ತರಬಾರದಾಗಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿನಂತಿ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಕವಿ ಕುವೆಂಪುರವರ ನಿವೃತ್ತ ಸ್ವಾಂಯೂನ್ಸಿ ಶರಾವರಾಜದರ್ಮ ಮತ್ತು ನಿವೃತ್ತ ಅ. ಶ್ರೀ. ಶಂಕರನಾರಾಯಣ ರಾಯರು ಬರೆಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಕೊ॥ 9-10-1942ರ ನಿಧನರಾದುದನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿ ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾ ಅಡಿಶನಲ್ ಮಂಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಟ್ ಕಸಂಪ್ಟದವರು ತುಂಬಾ ವಿಷಾದಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಶ್ರೀಯುತರು ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗಾದಲ್ಲಿ ನೆಲೆಸಿದ್ದ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಆಕರ್ಷಿಸಿ ನಿಲ್ಲುವ ದಕ್ಷತೆಯಿಂದ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ತಂದು ದುಡಿದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಅನೇಕ ವಿಧದಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇವೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿ ಕೀರ್ತಿಶಾಲಿಯಾದರು. ಭಗವಂತನು ಮುಕ್ತಿ ಶಾಂತಿಯನ್ನು ಅರುಹಿದ ಈ ಸಂಪ್ಟದವರು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

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D.O. letter No.CS.128/42-43 dated 14th October 1942 from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, Shimoga to the Honorary Secretary, The Arecanut Mandy Merchants' Association, Shimoga.

I have received your letter No.2247/41-42 dated 13-10-1942.

I thank the members of your Association for their condolence resolution on the death of the Amildar and the Police Sub-Inspector of Shikarpur under tragic circumstances.

"copy"

Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

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PP.2482/43

13th November 1942.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite your attention to the proceedings of the Issur Case Trial published in the "Daily News" of Bangalore dated the 6th November 1942 wherein it is stated as under:-

"The following points are mentioned in the chargesheet:--

They were aiding the Mysore Congress, despite its being declared unlawful.

I am to point to you in this connection that the Mysore Congress has not been declared an unlawful association by Government and that it is only the Working Committee of the Congress that has been declared as unlawful.

Yours sincerely,

(Sd.) M. G. Mehkri,
Chief Secretary to Govt.

M. Navaneetham Naidu, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District.

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P.T.O.

Memo No. 2483/CS

Copy of the foregoing is forwarded, with compliments, to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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Chief Secretary to Govt.

ISUR CASE TRIAL

VILLAGERS HAD THEIR OWN "AMILDAR"

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m Our Regd. Correspondent)

(Camp) SAGAR. Nov. 4

The trial in the case against fifty persons in connection with the Issur incident has begun before Mr A. Sundararaja Rao, the Special Judge. The proceedings commenced on last Saturday when three witnesses for the prosecution were examined.

There are 110 witnesses for the prosecution. Among the 50 accused, 9 are absconding.

Chargesheet

The following points are mentioned in the chargesheet.

The accused as also the villagers of Isur were taking part in a movement calculated against the Government of Mysore They were aiding the Mysore Congress, despite its being declared unlawful. The accused as also the residents of the Isur participated in the campaign against Government, supported the Non Co-operation movement, disturbed public tranquillity and prevented Government officials from their respective avocations. During the period between 25-9 42 and 27 9-42 they harassed the Shanbhogue and Patel of the Village and burnt some of their records In connection with this affair and to take suitable steps, Mr. V. N. Channakrishnappa, the Amildar of the Shikaripur Taluk Mr. S L. Kenchegowda and other officials went to the spot on the morning of 28—9—42 The accused and others conspired to arm and meet them with blows Consequently, Mr. V. N Channakrishnappa, the Amildar and Mr S L Kenchegowda, Sub Inspector, died on the spot. Also several others were seriously injured The accused not content with robbing off the revolver and other things found on the persons of the officials, had also detained them unlawfully.

Patel's Evidence

Mr. Channabasavaiya, the Patel of the Village in the course of his examination deposed that while himself and the Shanbhogue had been to Issur on 25-9 42 for collection of revenue, some boys and girls approached them shouting 'remove your turbans', 'wear khadi' and 'resign your posts'. The youngsters also took away the record books and refused to return them. "After complaining with the Amildar at Shikaripur we again went toIssur on27 9 42 to see our record books taken back Again some students came to us and asked us to meet their 'Amildar' Bewildered at their 'Amildar', we refused to go, but were forcibly taken away to a pendal with beating of drums [illegible] e pandal there [illegible]hairs. The [illegible]pa was seated [illegible] him was asked to [illegible] him a told When [illegible] me my [illegible]ked [illegible]ion, were armed with lathis. I appealed to them that I could not withstand the the strain as I was aged, then I normally stood. But the Shanbhoge was asked to continue standing on one leg While he could not he was being beaten They also beat me. Two hours passed like this. They mademe hold the National flag and asked me to take a solemn oath to resign my post I repeated what they said The Shanbhogue also likewise did it. And then we were released and I returned back.

"On the next morning (28—9—42) when I intended to report the matter to the Amildar, I came to know that the Amildar & Sub-Inspector and others had gone to the village. As I was tired, I sent my son to Isur He came back with the news that the Amildar and Sub-Inspector had dead and others in precarious condition. I asked him to convey news to Shikaripur. Next day I accompanied the Deputy Commissioner to the spot.

Then the accused Shankarappa cross examined the witness.

Shanbhogue's Evidence

Then Mr. Ranganatha Rao, the Shanbhogue, gave evidence. He corroborated fairly all that was deposed by the Patel.

Others

Afterwards Mr. Rudrappa,

ISUR CASE BEFORE SPECIAL COURT

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REVISION PETITION FILED IN HIGH COURT

(From Our Regd. Correspondent)

BANGALORE, Nov. 5

Arguments were advanced yesterday before Mr. Justice Subrahmanya Iyer in the Mysore High Court by Mr. A R. Somanatha Iyer for admission of two criminal revision petitions on behalf of two accused in theIsur case contending that Special First Class Magistrate at Sagar should not have transferred the case to the file of the Special Judge as per Government order and praying for stay of the proceedings of the case pending the disposal of the petition.

house and he was sent through the back door. On suspicion of the presence of the Constable some persons came to his house but they returned as they could not find him there.

Next, Mr. Budan Sab, in his examination said that there was a huge gathering in the Veerabhadra Temple and he heard firing. When I went out I saw the Amildar and Police Sub Inspector being beaten. Sahukar Basavannappa, holding a lathi in his hand, was asking the mob to continue beating. Afraid of this I went home. Afterwards I found the Amildar and Sub Inspector tied to woods. Their bodies were drenched with blood. A net banian and a drawer—this was all that was on the persons of the Amildar and the Sub Inspector Their clothes had been burnt. Then I returned."

The trial is continuing

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(ಸ್ವ. ರಿ. ಸು.) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಡಿ ೧೪ ಈಸೂರು ಗಲಭೆಗಳ ಸಂಬಂಧವಾಗಿ ಇನ್ನು ಆಲ್ಲಿ ಮಿಲಿಟರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಪಹರೆಯನ್ನಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆಯೆಂದೂ ಬಂಧಿನ ಪ್ರಜೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಬಹಳ ಕಿರುಕುಳವನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿರುವರೆಂದೂ ಇದರಿಂದ ಜನರು ಭಯಭ್ರಾಂತರಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆಂದೂ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ತಕ್ಕ ತಿಳುವಳಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಜನರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೂಡಿರುವ ಭಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕಳವಳವನ್ನು ಹೋಗಲಾಡಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದೂ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ವೈಸೂರು ನ್ಯಾಯವಿಧಾಯಕಸಭೆಯ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಪಕ್ಷದ ಸದಸ್ಯರುಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಎಸ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಶ್ರೀ ಭೂಪಾಳಂ ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರಯ್ಯನವರು ನ್ಯಾಯಾಂಗ ಸಚಿವರಾದ ರಾಜಮಂತ್ರಿ ವೀಣ ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ವಿ. ರಾಮನಾರ್ಥವರ ಬಳಿಗೆ ಒಂದು ನಿಯೋಗಗೋಷ್ಠಿ ಹೋಗಿದ್ದರು ಈ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಸಹಾನುಭೂತಿಯಿಂದ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ ತಕ್ಕ ತಿಳುವಳಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುವುದಾಗಿ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಂಗಸಚಿವರು ಭರವಸೆ ನೀಡಿದರೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಬಂದಿದೆ.

As promptly reported by me already to the Durbar, about 10 Congress members of the L.C., two Assembly members of the Congress including Mr Bhujpathi Chandrashekhara Setty & Mr B.S. Puttaswamy saw me on 14/12/42 at 10 AM. & represented (1) a visit by me or by some officer deputed by me, in association with 2 non-officials, to Issur & enquire into the alleged excesses by the Mily & the Police stationed at Issur, subsequent to the incident on 28/9/42 and (2) the issue of instructions to the Police still stationed there not to interfere with the ordinary life of the people.

Re (2) I promised to pass on the req^{n} to the I.G. of Police for investigation & necessary action, if their fears happen to be well founded. I have instructed the D.S.P. He says that he has already assured himself that this complaint & that he has instructed the permanent D.S.P. who has taken charge to make sure that the ordinary life of the people ~~is~~ not interfered with

1) ~~Karyappa~~ Mr Bhupalam represented that as P.A. Pop^{r} knowing Kannada might be posted in charge of the detachment. The I.G.P. tells me that he has arranged this

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As regards (1) I said that ~~the Govt~~ my
recollection was that any visit by me would
be prejudicial in the long run, as several
important accused persons are yet to be
apprehended & have yet to stand their trial
& that any visit of an Off^r with non-offls
is inopportune. They said that as the
situation is now normal, there should be no
objection. I told them that the situation
could not be described as normal, until
certain subjects of this Business who have
given wide scope of sympathy with C. D. movement
hanging on a Non-Injurious issue had
not declared their disassociation from it and
declared their political ambitions ended
with approaching this Business for the
Abrogating the Constitution and did not-
extend to Defences & outside.

3) I added that, in any case, their
request would be Considered further by us.

4) ~~Govt~~ I have considered over the
matter further. It does not appear proper
to allow any non-officials to visit Imam
with this object.

5) I told them that ~~even~~ since any Mil^y
reinforcements, we were taking steps to ~~become~~
the correct facts.

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5) I agree with the Law Minister that it is not necessary (nor would it be proper) to allow anything like an enquiry by non officials into this matter. The I.G.P was asked some time ago to visit the Talaimannar area & assure himself that the members of the P.R.P & Military detachments were under strict discipline and that no room was given for any complaint even of a minor character. He may be asked to put on record his conclusions after his visit on the conclusions formed and (extra) patrol arrangements if made after his visit.

7) Meanwhile, it is seen from the report of the Dy Supt of Police dated 5th Dec 1964 that during the whole period of his stay at and near Issuru he did not receive "even one complaint" from the villagers against the Police or Military and that adequate precautions were taken to safeguard property in the village. The Deputy Commy who carried out these (Actually) confirms the D.S.P's statement and says that up till now no one has come to him with any complaint of pilfering or ill treatment by the Police.

8) The papers may be circulated to the Ministers

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9) Circulate

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Request of certain non-official gentlemen to visit Issur to enquire into alleged excesses by the Military and the Police.

Submitted.

Revenue and Finance Minister. 25/12

Education Minister. 24.12.42

Minister for L.S.G. & P.H. 27.12.42

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Draft letter to the D.G.P. is attd.

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D.O. No. C.C. 105 of 12-1-43 from the D.G.P. forwarding his report regarding his visit to Issur.

Noted with reference to the Dewan's minute of 12/12/42 - para 6 of notes. The D.G.P. states that he did not hear any complaints at Issur about the misconduct of the Police.

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It does not seem to be necessary to submit the papers to H. H. If approved, these will be filed.

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by Dear Mr. Seshadri,

You had been requested sometime ago to visit Shikaripur Taluk and assure yourself that the members of the Provincial Reserve Police and the military detachments stationed there, were kept in strict discipline and that no room was given for any complaint, even of a minor character. I am to request you to kindly put on record the conclusions formed by you and also inform Government about the extra arrangements, if any, that were made there as a result of your visit.

The favour of a very early reply is requested.

Yours sincerely,

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Chief Secy.

M. Seshadri, Esqr., M.A.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

No. 3614/CB

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11th February 1943.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite reference to Mr. M.G. Mehkri's D. O. letter No.3093/C.B. dated the 2nd January 1943 regarding the result of your visit to Shikarpur Taluk, and to request you kindly to furnish your reply to Government very early.

Yours sincerely,

M. Seshadri, Esqr., M.A.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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D. O. No. C.C.105(i)/42-43. 2nd.1.

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BANGALORE

February 12, 1943.

M. SESHADRI, Esq., M.A.,
~~I. C. S., Retd. Executive~~
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

C.B. 104
C.B. 100-42-1

Dear Mr. Appaji Gowda,

13/2/43

With reference to your office D.O. letter No.3093/C.B. dated January 2, 1943, I write to say that I visited Shikaripur and Isoor on the 2nd December 1942. At Shikaripur I met the Vice-President of the Municipality and other leaders. At Isoor, I spent nearly 3 hours and met some of the ryots. I heard no complaint except that the Reserve Police stationed at Isoor were not permitting the movements of the people from the village during nights. The Police explained that they were not preventing anybody but that they were ~~not~~ only questioning those who came into the village or went out of the village during nights in order to make sure that none of the absconding accused slipped out of the village unnoticed during nights. I instructed the police not to place any restrictions on the movement of the people of the village except to the minimum extent that may be necessary to keep a look out for the absconding accused persons.

The P.R.P. detachment stationed at Isoor consisted only of one Inspector, one Naik and 12 men. Inspector Mr. Ball was in charge of them. He assured me that the men were being kept under discipline. Subsequently I withdrew Inspector Mr. Ball and posted in his stead an Indian Subedar Major to be in charge of the men stationed at Isoor.

Subsequently I instructed the Dist. Supt. of Police to visit Isoor and to let me know whether my instructions had been carried out. I am enclosing herewith, for

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favour of perusal a copy of the report dated 18-12-42 from the Dist. Supt. of Police, Shimoga.

Yours sincerely.

H. Deshadri

J. Appaji Gowda, Esq., B.A.(Hons.),
Chief Secy. to Government.

Report No. C.C.29/42-43 dated 18th December 1942 from the Dist. Supt. of Police, Shimoga Dist.

Kind D.O. No. C.C.105(i)/ 42-43 of the 16th instant was received yesterday. As per personal instructions, left to me, needful instructions had been left to the Staff of P.R.P. stationed at Shikaripur and Essoor and also to the local officers in the matter. As far as my information goes, the instructions have been carried out so far, to the very letter. Even this day, I had been to Esoor just to find out how far the complaints are true. I had met the Village Patel, Panchayet members and Chairman and many others in the village itself and had a long talk with them. None of them came forward complaining that their movements are restricted by the Police camping at the place. The general complaint of the Esoor villagers is that the Revenue Authorities are not permitting them to harvest their paddy stocked in the fields, until their revenue is clared and also added that merchants taking advantage of this, are demanding the paddy at a lower rate. I have advised them personally to approach the Taluk Amildar and explain their difficulties so that they may have relief through him. It is true that our Police men posted at Esoor are making enquiries of persons that visit Esoor from outside, just to find out whether any of them are the absconding accused. Again, I have left personal instructions to the staff at Esoor and also to the local police, not to give room for such complaints. As the Taluk Amildar was away on tour, I had met the Taluk Sheristedar and requested him to give all possible relief to the ryots of Esoor if they approach them for help.

As regards other points not only I have left instructions to my Inspectors personally but also, I have commenced touring in the interior of the district just to meet the influential people and to see what I can to maintain peace and order in the villages. If there is anything which requires prompt prevential action, I shall see that it is nipped in time so that there may be no developments.

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INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE
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Telegram / phone

OFFICE OF
the Superintendent of Police,
Provincial Reserve Police
Bangalore,
Date 5th December 1942.

9C No. 876/42-47
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To

The Inspector General of Police,
in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Sir,

As desired I have the honour to state that as per the phone message received through the Assistant to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore at 9 P.M. on 28-9-1942 I proceeded to Shimoga by the night train and reached the place in the morning of 29-9-42. Along with the Provincial Reserve Police Staff that came from Bhadravathi I left Shimoga at 9 A.M. and after an eventful journey reached Shikaripur at 2-30- P.M.

Inquest on the dead bodies of the Amildar and Sub Inspector was being held by the Sub Division Officer, Sagar. The investigation of the case was in charge of Mr. Narasimhachar with the assistance of Messrs K.S. Ramachandra Rao, Prosecuting Police Inspector and Rajanna Setty, Sub Inspector.

Accompanied the Deputy Commissioner to Issur the same day with Provincial Reserve Police and Military Staff. The entire village was deserted. Only a few old people were found. Most of the houses were not even locked. Things were found scattered about in confusion. Obviously the people had fled from the village in great haste and consternation. A few houses of the accused were searched and nothing incriminating was found. Returned to Shikaripur ~~back~~ late in the night. On 30th September, we again visited the villages. Some more houses were searched. Returned to Shikaripur late in the evening.

On 1-10-42, the Finance Minister, Revenue Commissioner and the Inspector General of Police came to Shikaripur. They all visited Issur and went away the same day. The Deputy Commissioner and I camped at Issur till 7-10-42. The Deputy Commissioner left Issur on 7-10-42. I continued

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I continued to camp at Issur till 11-10-42.

During my stay, adequate precautions were taken to safe-guard property and life and against anything irregular and objectionable on the part of the Police and the Military.

Encouraged by the Civility with which the people were treated, villagers slowly returned to the village in large numbers. Not one complaint of any kind was made to me by the public against the Police or the Military personnel.

On 10-10-42 information was received that the house of Sanukar Basavannappa was on fire. I immediately proceeded to the spot with all the Provincial Reserve Police Staff and with great difficulty brought the fire under control. Exhaustive enquiries made regarding the fire, disclosed that it was purely accidental. I left Issur on 11-10-42. The Provincial Reserve Police Staff however was still at Issur. I left Shimoga on 13-10-42.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant.

N. V. Ranga Reddy

Superintendent of Police,
Provincial Reserve Police.

A day-to-day diary in which exhaustive details are given will be forwarded shortly.

N. V. Ranga Reddy

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Abdul Latiff.
MYSORE POLICE SERVICE

Shimoga.
4-12-1942.

Respected Sir,

In obedience to personal instructions, I have herein enclosed the statement of toll gate keeper Raja Rao of Shimoga town municipality for your information.

Yours obediently,
Abdul Latiff
D.S.P.

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Presented by Raja Rao
Dr. Mrs. Raja Rao
Kotilingala Venkata
Seshamma Rao
Chandrapur
11.12.42

Statement of Syed Hussein S/o Syed Ahmed, Mohammadan, Age about 33 years, Motor Driver, R.M. Motor Service, Shimoga

నాను R.M. మోటార్ కంపెనియల్ల డ్రైవర్ ఆగరుత్తీనే. తా 28: 9:42 రల్ల నమ్మ కంపెనియ బస్సు నంబరు Mys A 2709 నేబస్సిమ్మ నాను తేగకుకొండు శివమోగ్గా దింద శికారిపురక్కే ఎజెంట్ పోలీసినవరన్ను నమ్మ కాన్‌స్టేబర్ ఉష్ట్రినీ మేలే కరేదు కొండు బంతే: అదివతకాల్రే శికారిపుర దల్లనుంచి, మూరనేదివస తా 29: 9:42 రల్ల ఎజెంట్ పోలీసినవరన్ను తీసుకొండే కరేదు కొండు బంతు పోలీస్ కాన్‌స్టేబుల్ కాయంకాల శికారిపురక్కే అవరన్ను కరెదుకొండు బంతు. కాన్‌స్టేబుల్ నమ్మ బస్సినల్లి గ్రామస్థరన్ను కూడిసి తరలల్ల: తా 30: 9:42 రల్ల అదే ఎజెంట్ పోలీసినవరన్ను కరెదు బస్సినల్లి శికారిపుర దింద తీర్థహళ్ళి కరేదుకొండు బంతు. నావు నగరు తీర్థహళ్ళి గ్రామక్కే బంద నమ్మ గ్రామ స్థరు యారూ ఇరలిల్ల: గ్రామ బిట్టు ఓడిహోగి రువు నాగ గొత్తాయితు. నాను తీర్థహళ్ళి దల్లి కరెదుకొండు బస్సన్ను నిల్లిసిదే తా 30: 9:42 రలు నాయక్ మహిళరు మత్తు మక్కళు బస్సిగె బందరు. గ్రామస్థర్ల ఎజెంట్ మత్తు మిలిటరీ కావలన్ను కరిదిద్దరు. తీర్థహళ్ళి దల్లి నాను నిల్లిసిదాగ గ్రామస్థరు ఎనేనో గ్రామదవన్ను బందు నోడి కొండరు. ననగే కంతకాగదే తీవ్రవాద గ్రామస్థరకాదవనుగళు యారూ యావుదు యావ కంపెనియల్లి లుటీయాగిలి ఉళిదవా అంత కండక్టరు నాగలి అంతవరు తా 30: 9:42 రింద మత్తు మక్కళు ఎవరుగళు ఈ కాంచల్లన్ను శికారిపుర దల్లి బస్సిన్ను తెగసుకొండు బందు శికారిపుర దల్లి బిట్టరు. ఈ కాంచింద శికారిపుర దల్లి బరువాగ బస్సినల్లి గ్రామస్థరు యావ విధానన్ను తరలిల్ల: నంతర శికారిపుర దింద శివమోగ్గాక్కే ఎజెంట్ పోలీసినవరన్ను కరెదు కొండు బంతు: ఆగలు బస్సినల్లి ఈ కూడు గ్రామస్థరు కాదవనుగళన్ను యారూ తరలిల్ల:

Before me.

ನಿನ್ನ ಹಾಗೆ, ನಿಂಯಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸೈಯದ್ ಹುಸೇನ್ (Syed Hussain)

Statement of R. Thomas S/o Sylestin Ruskin, Christian, Age abt 38 years, Motor Driver, S.T.A. Motor Servile: Shimoga:

నాను తా 29:9:42 రల్ల Mys A 2827 నే నంబరు బస్సినల్ల మిలటరియవర్నల్ల కరిదు రుం డు శికాం క్కరణం ద కాబ్బ రింద ట్రూ ల్ చే: క్కున: అవరుగ ర్నల్ల ఉసుళే బస్సినల్ల హొ ర్టు బిదవ హా యింతాల కరిసు రుం డు శికాం క్కరర్నే బంచే: కొండలు 30:9:42 రల్ల మేల్నుంత మిలటరియవరుగ ర్నల్ల బస్సినల్ల కాబ్బ రింద కరిదు రుం డు ట్రూ ల్ చే: 30:9:42 రలు హా యిను కుప్పరు దర్కు దన్నేరదు ఎవద ర్గు బదరి బస్సు న్నే ఇళ్ళు రుం డు ఈహా నల్ల యిల్ ఇచ్చే: నాను ఈ హారుస్త్రా రుత్తి ట్రూ ల్ హా గ్రామద ఎ నగ్గు యారు ఇరలిల్ల: క్రమేణ ఎ నగ్గు బరలు ప్రారంభిసి బరు: గ్రామదల్ల మిలటరి మక్కు రివర్ద హోటలల్లి నీరావలు డారి ర్కు. 10:10:42 నేరాంటరిద కున్న రిందల్ల మిలటరియవరన్నేర కరిసురుం డు శికాం క్కరర్నే హాబ్బు బంచే. బరువాగ గ్రామస్థర హాహాను ర్గల్ల బస్సినల్ల యారూ యావ రినవు కరలిల్ల: నన నేగో శ్రిత్వం బంచే యారూ గ్రామస్థర బ్బేర్కు ర్గల్ల లు హొరగి అక్కహా అక్క రజిసుకు హాగలి మూ కరలిల్ల: 3-4 రివస ర్గు శికాం క్కరదల్లమ్మ తా 14/10/42 రల్ల కేవగారు రోగిగ నమ్మం న్నకరిష్ట అరోగాగ్ని ర్గల్ల హోటలిని సి బ్బుం రి కుమేలెకరి శికాం బస్సినల్ల శవమోగ్గా క్కే కరసిరుం చే: ఆగలు యారూ కేవగారు గ్రామదవరకాహవనల్ల కరలిల్ల: క్కున: నాను ఈ కగాహా ట్రూ ల్ ర లిల్ల: శవమోగ్గా దల్ల లు ళచే.

Before me.

P.K. Somappa

Camp. Bhadravati.

1.12.42.

ఫిర్యాదు చేసినవారి సంతకం

Statement of Venkata Rao S/o Gangadhar Rao, Age 52 years, Brahmin, Motor Driver, Y.S: Motor Service: Shimoga

నవ్వ కంఠం బాబు Mys A 3010 నే నంబరు బళ్ళి నళ్ళ కొకార్ర ఓప్రకో మీరే మిలటరీ యవరన్నె భస్మావశియింద ఈవగిరి కరేసు రాం రు 29:9:42 రళ్ళ ఢీ ఆ: ఆంద ఈగిగిరి ఢీ పాళ్ళు బాయిం రాల బదం మిలటరీ యవరన్నె కరేసు రాం రు కొరి ధృశళ్ళ పాళ్ళు బందేవు: బరుబాగ గ్రామద వర బూబ్బు పాంవను వస్తశేయ్ళ వుదమ్మ యారూ రేరలిల్ల: 30:9:42 రళ్ళ బదరి మిలటరీ యవరన్నె కరేసు రాం రు ఈగిగిరి ఢీ గా అల్లిలుళ్ళ గ్రామదల్ల నావు ఢీ పాళ్ళ జనగళు యిళ్ళ ఇరలిల్ల. గ్రామదల్ల మిలటరీ బుట్టు మీరలిక్ రాతలిట్టు. గ్రామస్థర నావనుగళు యారిందవు వమూ లిటి రలిల్ల: నాను 30:9:42 రిందవు 1:10:42 నేరాత్రి కూడిదు వరేగ ఈగిగిరినల్లిమ్మ నంతేశ మీల్లుంత బన్నినల్ల మిలటరీ యవరన్నె కరేసు రాం రు నావు తిరిగి ఢీ ఆ: ఢీ గుబావాగ యారూ గ్రామవవర నావు నవ్వ బన్నినల్ల శేరిసు రాం రు ఢీ లిల్ల. నావు మంతియింద కేవ మోగ్గాళ్ళ బందే:

Before me.
R.N. Somaya
Comp. Bhadravathi. 1.12.42.

ఒళగిన నిజవాగిరువే-
Sd- Venkata Rao.

Statement of M. Gunda s/o Nagappa, Age about 35 years, Motor driver, Sri Krishna Motor Service, Shimoga:

నమ్మ కంపెనీ యవ బాబ్తు Mys. A 2232 నేనం బరు బస్సిన్మ ఈదగరుర్ తను తేరె పంచభ్ర్ దల్లి మిలటరియ వరన్మ కరేసు రాం తు నమ్మ కంపెనీ యి త్రివర్ ముఖ బూబను కొ 28:9:42 నేవ మొగ్గా లింద ఈకు లగ ట్రూలు ట్రూ గిన్మ: నేనం మఖ బూబనన్మ లిలఁఫీ వగలు నాను ఈకు లగే 2:10:42 రల్లి ట్రూలే: ఆది వర ఉదనన్మ లిలఁఫీ వగ తి ఓ లగాయ్ తు పుహరు 16:18 వివర్ గళు ఈదగినల్లిన్మ: 3:10:42 ర దుగ్గినల్లి నాను మిలటరియవరన్మ మేల్లుం త బస్సినల్లి కరేసు రాం తు సాగర్ ట్రూలగ ఉదరన్మ బిట్టు వగనే వివర ఈదగుర్ కాలి బస్సిన్మ కరేసు రాం తు బందే: నమ్మ బస్సినల్లి యారు ఈదగరుస్తారెన్మ రనావ నన్మ కరేసు రాం తు బరలిల్ల: నాను ఈదగినే ట్రూలకాంగ గ్రామదల్లి ఎనగళు బరలు శ్రీకరం బిసిదురు. గ్రామదల్లిన వర్ గుర్తు మిలటరికారవరిల్ల. గ్రామదవరన్మ గుర్తు గళిదావు వు యారందలు లు ఒరి యాన్మగలు ఉద్యోగ ఉరె దురిని గళిరు, నవకి కంపెనీ కె బరలిల్ల. నాను 19:10:42 రల్లి మేల్లుంద బస్సిన్మ కాలి కరేసు రాం తు రామేగౌడ లింద శివమొగ్గా కె పాచ్చు లేందే: గ్రామస్థర కొవ నగళన్మ యావుదూ తరలిల్ల.

Before me.
H. R. Somappa
Camp. Bhadravathi. 1.12.42.

ఎం. గుండప్ప, సంతకగారి-
గుండప్ప

Statement of Joseph Sones S/o Samuel
Christian, Age about 38 years, Motor Driver,
Shankar Motor Co- Shimoga.

నాను శంకర్‌మోటార్ కంపెనియల్లు క్రిశ్చియన్ లు
కాను తుత్తి హూనే. నాను తొంబరు 29:9:42 రల్లు నమ్మ కంపెనియొళ్ళు
Mys A 2664 నేదంబియన బస్సినల్లి శిమొగదింద 10 రు శివమొగ్గాదింద
భద్రావతిగె బందు, భద్రావతియింద ఈసూరిగె ఎదిరిగే మోటారినల్లి
దరన్న కరెసురొంతు హొగిదే: వాప్సు ఉళి దివసగాయుంటాలు తడ
అశ్వారూఢ ఈసూరినింద బందు మేల్భుంతలనిదిగే మోటారినవరన్న
కరెసురొంతు బందే. నంతరనే అవిన ఉందరే 30:9:42 రల్లు ఎదిరిగే మోటా
రినవరన్న మేల్భుంత బస్సిన రల్లి కరెసురొంతు శరాంపురదింద ఈసూరి
గే హొగ్తూరిగా వాప్సు బందెవు. గ్రామదల్లి జనగళు యారూ ఇరలిల్ల. ఎల్లరూ
ఖ తొట్టూరిగె హొరటు హొత్తిరాగి తిళియిలు. నావు వాప్సు ఈసూరినింద బరువాగ్గె
నమ్మ బస్సిన రల్లి ఈసూరు గ్రామదవరిగాగి నన్నేనూ తెరలిల్ల. కాంచి
1:10:42 రల్లి శ్రీయుత ఈసూరిగె ఎదిరిగే మోటారినవరన్న కరెసురొంతు
శరాంపురదింద హొరటు ఈసూరినల్లి బిట్టిదే: ఆగ్ల నువారుగళ్ళు
ఉన్నేరలు ఎందిగళు తుత్తి ఈసూరినల్లి ఇన్ను వంతరశరాంపురక్కె
వాప్సు బందే: ఈసూరినల్లిరువాగ్గె గ్రామదవరిగాగి నన్నల్లి యారూ
లుబి యాగలి ఎందు అవరిగె ఆజ్ఞాపత్ర కొడలిరువుదాగి ఎరడు పత్రగళల్లి గ్రామ
ద జనగళు శ్రీమంత లుబరన్న నోడలు బందరు: గ్రామదల్లి
మలగలి ందరిల్ల ఎదిరిగే ఉస్తువారి యిల్ల. వాప్సు ఈసూరినింద
శరాంపురక్కె బందు ఆగ్ల రేలుపతివనగళన్ను, 19:X:42 రల్లి
శరాంపురదింద శివమొగ్గాక్కె వాప్సు బందిరువాగ్గ వాహనవన్ను
తేగెదు కరెసురొంతు బందే: నాను ఈసూరినింద వాప్సు బరువాగ్గె నమ్మ
బస్సిన రల్లి ఈసూరు గ్రామదవరిగాగి నన్నేనూ తెరలిల్ల:

Before me.
H. H. Somappa
Camp. Bhadravathi. 1.12.42.

ఓదుగరు తిళియబేకు-
Joseph Sones

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Statement of Mehaboob S/o Rahiman Khan, Mohammadan, Age about 27 years, Motor driver, Sri Krishna Motor Service, Shimoga.

నాకు శివమొగ్గా రల్ల ట్రాక్టర్ తగిలించి యిల్ల క్రైవరు గిస్తేనే. నాను 28:9:42 రల్ల రాత్రి వను కంతేసి బండ్లు MysA 2232 మేదంబంద బిద్దినల్ల జేగీసు రోంరు నగర్ కే వుల్ల గరగనవరన్ను తీసా వను గల్ల్ల డాకిరోంరు, శివమొగ్గా దింద శరాంి భీరప్పే ఊర వను రాంి యిల్ల అతరిలా రేర మిస్సి మరిగల్ల్ల ఈ గరగనవర్ను వరిల్ల యిని రాంి కపలీదు బగిరోంరు శరాంి భీరప్పే ఊలనే: రాంివె 29:9:42 రల్ల మిలటరి యవరన్ను మేల్కుంర బిద్దినల్ల కరిసురోంరు శరాంి భీరదింద ఈస్కొండిగే ఊల రాత్రి సాయుంరాల రాన్ను శరాంి భీరప్పే కవరి యవరన్ను కరిసురోంరు మింనే: 30:9:42 రల్ల శరాంి భీరదింద ఈస్కొండి మిలటరి యవరన్ను కరిసురోంరు ఊల రాన్ను మత్తే శరాంి భీరప్పే మింనే: గ్యారు వల్ల మినగల్లు యారుల్ల రరిల్ల: ఎల్లరగ్గా శరాంి యిగారుల్లెరంరే తిళియలు: నాన్ను కూడ రాంిన్ను బిటు బాగ నను బిద్దినల్ల త్రి మస్కారసామానల్లేల్ల శర రిల్ల: వంరర 1:10:42 రల్ల కవరి బిద్దినల్ల శరాంి భీరదింద ఈస్కొండిగే మిలటరి యవరన్ను కరిసురోంరు ఊల ఈస్కొండల్ల లుళిసే. 2:10:42 రల్ల వనగే మేత్తి యల్ల వుల్లారిల్లగ్వంద బన్నుల్ల కూడా యిల్ల యిప్పిన మొన్ను శివమొగ్గా కే మింనే: నాను రంత డాగే యిగ్గ గ్యారు సాహెబరిగ్గ నాను అవరిగు వుసాగలే యిల్లంతే వగైరా వుసాగలే వగైరా రరిల్ల: వాన్ను బిటు మొన్నే నానూ వనన్ను రరిలిల్ల:

Before me.
H. Somappa
Camp. Bhadravathi
1/12/42.

నిజవాగి కరి యిగారే.

[illegible]

Statement of George S/o Devaraj,

Christian, Age about 40 years, Driver, Paper Mills

Woman Cav: Bhadravathi

నాను భద్రావతియల్ల పేపర్ మిల్ కాంపల్ల డ్రైవర్ ఆగిద్దేనే. నాను తా 28:9:42 రల్ల భద్రావతియంద ఉంటిరా ఆర్డర్మల్ల కరేసు కొండు శవమాస్థాల్ల డ్యూటియల్లుంద మనంబే శిరాంి పురత్తే డ్యూటగా రాత్రి ఉల్లే లుగసే: వారనే ఎన ఉందరే 29:9:42రల్ల శిరాంి పురనింద ఈస్కొండే డ్యూటగా వాప్సు సొయిదరాం లర్తే శిరాంి పురత్తే బందే: పేపర్ మిల్స్ కార్స్ రోడ్ Mys 8311నేనంవ ఎనవన్నల్ల తగేసు కొండు డ్యూటగాయే: తా.30:9:42రల్ల బెన్నూరే కన్నంగే డ్యూటగా శవం రాంనల్ల వాప్సు బందేవు. బరువాగనమ్మరో ఎనల్ల ఈస్కొరు గ్రామస్థర సాంగనన్నేనూ తెరలిల్ల. తా 1:10:42రగా యాయ్ను పు రొరు 10:10:42రవరేగిగ నాను మేల్ళం తరాంరన్నే ఈదుగంద ల్ల కట్టి కొండు ఇద్దే: గ్రామదల్ల గ్రామ పవసినగర్ యా రు ఇరలిల్ల. క్రమేణ పినగర్ గ్రామక్కే బరలు ప్రారంభినిద రు: గ్రామస్థర సాంమూనాగలే ఎన్లా ఇన్నేనాల్లి గలే యారగా లుతి వగతిస్యా గలే, అరిడుంటి స్యా గలే ఇల్ల. నాను 10:10:42రల్ల ఈరొరు బిట్టు శిరాంి పురత్తే బందు 12:10:42 రల్ల శవం రాంరన్నే గాప్సు భద్రావతిగే రేగిసు కొండు బందే. ఆగలు గ్రామదవర భూమి యువసాంగ నన్ను నన్నిరొంటల్ల శేడ మనకొండు బరలిల్ల.

Before me.
R. Somayya
Camp. Bhadravathi.
1.12.42.

ఓద లంగ, సంయ్యగళే.

G. George

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Statement of Muniswamy S/o Rangaswamy mudliar, Mudilar Caste, Age abut 37 years, Motor Driver, Y.S. Motor Service, Bhadravathi.

నాను Y.S. మోటారే కంపనియల్లి త్రీవ్ర కీలిబరగా తరిం తు శవసిగ్గే దల్లి కుత్తేనే. నాను దవ్వి బనీమూలగిర అర్జిసి మేరే 1:10:42 రల్లి శవసిగ్గే బిట్టు భద్రావతిగే Mys A2957 నేనంబ లారియన్ను తెగెదు కొం తు బందే: 2:10:42 రల్లి భద్రావతిబిట్టు దవదంబిసినల్లి మిలటరి అవరన్ను కరెసుతం తు ఈసిగిగే కుళిసిదే. ఈమూ లారియల్లి సుమారు 6 లారిగళిద్దవు: నాను కుళిసిదాగ లారిగే బెంకియ బెంకు బిద్దు నిల్లిసుత్తా ఇద్దరు. నంతరదల్లి నానుశకొంకుశక్కే బందు లారియ: నాను ఈమూ లారియల్లి రువాగ్గే నన్న కంత్రదాగ గ్రామదల్లిరబేకాగిద్దవన్ను లారియల్లి లుటి యుంగలు డ్రైవరు లారిగళు మూరు మూరు లారిల్లి. నానుకూడిదారు బిట్టు బరువాగ్గే నన్న బిట్టినల్లి కూడిదారు గ్రామదల్లిరబేకాగిన్నేనుకరలిల్లి. గ్రామదల్లి లింబు మరి మత్తె లారిసిద్ధా బ్రేకు లారి కావలుడారదరు 14:10:42 రల్లి నానుశవసిగ్గా శ్రీనదంబిట్టిన్నే తెగెసుతం తు శాంతిక్కరలిందకిగొం దిరు బందే: బరువాగ్గే నన్న బిట్టినల్లి నీవుననన్నేనుకరలిల్లి. I

Before me.
Subbaramappa
Camp. Bhadravathi.
21/12/42.

వీరనుగా సంతకమాడితిని.
Muniswamy

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Statement of Sheriff S/o Sheikali Sab Mohammadan, Age about 38 years, Driver, Mysore Steel works Camp, Bhadravathi:

నాను భద్రావతి యల్లి కబ్బిణ ముత్తుల్లుత్తిరువ మిండనయ శ్రీనివాస్ అవరల్లిద్దవరు తుత్తిష్టవే. నాను నమ్మ కంపెనియ కొటి Mys A 1139 నవరు బిరుదారన్నే తెగెదుకొండు బెళ్ళంద దినదింద నన్న కరెదు కొండు 28:9:42 రల్లి దూరవు శరీరద బగ్గే దూరవాణి మాడిదంతా ఆదవు. నా 29:9:42 రల్లి శరీరదల్లి బంద తలెనోవిగే దూరవాణి మాడిదనల్లి 30:9:42 రల్లి నడు రాత్రియ తనక దూరవాణి మాడిదవరు. స్వామియవర్ల జనగళు యారూ బరలిల్ల. ఎల్లరూ లూరు బిట్టు దూర హోగిద్దరిందలే నన్నల్లి స్వామియవర్ల బగ్గే హోగలు సాధ్యవాగలిల్ల. నానుందినంతే స్వామియవర్ల జనగళు బందరు. నా 1:10:42 రల్లి పునః తలెనోవిగే దూరవాణి మాడిదవరు. ఈసూరినవర్ల మనెయవరు 10-12 దివసగళల్లి బందరు. స్వామియవర్ల జనగళు బందవరల్లి యారూ నన్నల్లి బరలిల్ల. స్వామియవర్ల మిల దూరవాణి మాత్ర బరుత్తిద్దరు. నానుందినంతే స్వామియవర్ల స్వామియవర్ల సేవెగాగి నన్న యారూ లూటి యాగదంతే యావ రీతియల్లియూ కాపాడలిల్ల. నంతర నాను తలెనోవిగే దూరవాణి మాడిదాగ బందవు. 13:10:42 రందు భద్రావతిగే బందే. నాను బిరుదాగ లూ నన్న రక్షణెయల్లి తెగెదరు స్వామియవర్ల సేవెగా తెరలిల్ల.

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Camp. Bhadravathi.

2.12.42.

I beg to submit that as per orders of the Deputy Commissioner, I took up the investigation of the double murder case (Shikarpur Kasba crno. 180/42-43) Mr. K. S. Ramachandra Rao, proceeding Inspector and myself proceeded to Sirsi on 29.9.42, along with the Deputy Commissioner and the Dt. Supdt of Police Mr. Babu Reddy. The village was practically a deserted one except for a few old people found here and there. Some of the houses were vacant with doors flung open and some empty things left behind by the owners thereof indicating their hurried departure. Special Reserve men under the supervision of the Sub Inspector Mr. Rajanna Sir, were posted in the village with a view to safeguard the properties of the run-away villagers and to secure the accused persons wanted in the case. We all returned to Shikarpur in the evening - Again, the next day, we did the same thing.

Sub-Inspector
S. C. Prabhappa
K. S. F.
3/12

From the 1st to the 23rd October 1942, we camped there, excepting for a few days in the middle. The Deputy Commissioner was camping there till the 7th. and Dt. Supdt of police Mr. Babu Reddy till the 12th. October.

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on the 10th there was a hue & cry that Sahukar Basavannappa's house caught fire. We all ran to the spot and guarded the fire with the help of the villagers & the Reserve men. Enquiries went to show that it was an accidental fire.

During our stay there, there were no complaints of looting, pilfering or anything of the kind from any of the villagers.

M. Narasiha Rao
Police Asst.
3/12/42 Sorab Taluk

Beg to submit that I proceeded

to D Shikaripur on the evening of 28.9.42, along with
the Deputy Commissioner and others and I was placed
on special duty to assist in the investigation
of the Isur double murder Case in C.No 18/42-43
of Shikaripur Kasaba. On the afternoon of 29.9.42
I went to Isur from Shikaripur along with the
Deputy Commissioner, D.S.P. Mr. Bapu Reddy and
others. The village presented a deserted
appearance and all most all the villagers had
left the village. only a few old men and
women were seen. After attending to the work
at Isur, we returned to Shikaripur in the
evening - to D.O. Mr. Narasimhachar making
proper arrangements for guarding the village
Next morning we all went again to Isur
and found that Some more men had
returned to the village. That day also we
returned to Shikaripur in the evening.
Again on the next day, i.e on 1.10.42 we
all went to Isur and since then we
Camped at Isur. The Deputy Commissioner
was also Camping at Isur for about a week
and Mr. Babu Reddy - D.S.P. Camped at Isur
for Some time longer. D.S.P. Mr. Mallappa

Subscribed
S.E. Mallappa
3/12
D.S.P.

Came to Idam on or about the
4th October 1942 and Was Camping at
Idam for some time. I was at
Idam till 23.10.42 assisting the D.O
in the investigation except for a few days
in the middle. During our stay at Idam,
proper arrangements had been made to
safeguard the life and property of the people of Idam,
who at first had vacated but later gradually
returned to the village in increasing numbers.
No body ever complained to me about any
ill treatment, looting, or loss of property or damage
to property or crops. On 10.10.42, however, one
Mahadevappa, a neighbour of Sahukar Basavanyappa
reported that the house of Sahukar Basavanyappa
was on fire. The fire was brought under
control and finally quenched with the
help of the P.R.P. men and the villagers. One
inquiry disclosed that the fire was an
accidental one and a memo to that effect
same effect was drawn at the time.
The P.R.P. force was continued at Idam
even subsequent to 23.10.42. for the
purpose of maintaining law and order and
to apprehend the absconding accused if they
were to return to the village.

K.S. Ramachandra Rao
3.12.42.

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Chintamani,
Dated the 6th Sept. '42.

Sir,

CB

I am in receipt of your very kind letter and beg to respectfully thank you and our beloved Highness for the sympathy. Being the most unfortunate being, I am bound to bear the bepeavement and my only duty now is to pray for the peace of my beloved husband's soul.

Yours Respectfully,

T. N Tulasi Lakshmamma

To,

Pradhana Siromani N. Madhava Rao Esq,. B.A., B.L.,
Dewan of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

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MRS.GANGAMMA,
C/o
Mr.P.Sivalingaih,
Vice-President,
Maddur Municipal Council,
M A D D U R.

Maddur,

Dated 6th Octo.1942.

CB

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Dear Sir,

M.337

I am deeply grateful to you for your kind letter dated 3rd October 1942, conveying to me the feelings of sympathy of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore in my distress. I am also grateful to you for the assurance regards provision for my maintenance.

Yours sincerely,

M. S. Gangamma.

Pradhana Siromani
N. Madhava Rao, B.A., B.L.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Carlton House, BANGALORE.

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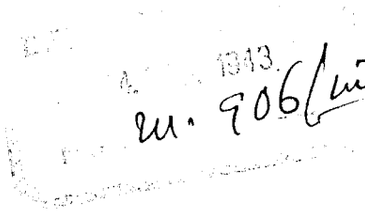

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29th January 1943.

My dear Colonel Fraser

I enclose for your information copies of a letter which I wrote to the Political Secretary to His Excellency the Crown Representative while I was in Delhi recently, and of its enclosure on the subject of the Issur Murder Case, also of a telegram sent by the Chief Secretary to the Secretary, Political Department, furnishing some additional information required.

Yours Sincerely

Sd. N. Madhava Rau

The Hon'ble
Lieut.-Colonel D. de M. S. Fraser, C.I.E.,
Resident in Mysore,
BANGALORE.

New Delhi,

24th January 1943.

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The copy of the telegram from the Secretary of State which you handed to me yesterday is returned herewith.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. N. MADHAVA RAU

Sir Kenneth Fitze, K.C.I.E.,
Political Secretary to
His Excellency the Crown Representative,
2, York Place, NEW DELHI.

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Telegram dated 25th January 1943 from the Chief Secretary to Government, Bangalore.

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Telegram-R.

From Secretary of State.
To Crown Representative.
Dated 22nd (0630) recd. 23rd (0845) January, 1943.

1310. I have undertaken to provide answer to Parliamentary question to-day asking for "particulars of trial for murder and rioting in which eleven persons were sentenced to death and thirteen others to transportation for life; whether others were also tried; and whether accused were only persons engaged in this crime or whether they formed part of a larger gathering". Question is apparently based on Reuter report of December 5th of "the first case tried under Special Tribunal Courts Act in Mysore State" in connection with murder and rioting at village ISSUR on September 28th.

2. I shall be grateful for such information as you think it proper for me to give in reply. Resident's Express Letter of October 1st F.119/1942 para. No. 6 contains no reference to rioting.

(5 copies to Political Deptt.)

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New Delhi,
23rd January 1943

Issued.
8.30 p.m.

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Bangalore

Following particulars required by Government of India regarding Issur Murder Case, Number of accused sentenced to death transportation and imprisonment respectively. Number absconding and remaining to be tried. Reply immediately to my address and also to Political Dewan. Secretary

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Sd. N. Madhava Rau
Dewan of Mysore.

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